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THURSDAY.....SEPTEMBER 13, 1894.

Democratic Nominees.

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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICES:
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James C. MacRae, of Cumberland.
Armistead Burwell, of Mecklenburg.

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Tenth District—W. C. Newlands, of Caldwell.
Eleventh District—J. L. Webb, of Cleveland.
Twelfth District—George A. Jones, of Macon.

NEWS AND COMMENTS.

Col. Jno. C. Tipton, late of the Shelby Review, has purchased a half interest in the Salisbury Watchman, and will be associated with Mr. O. E. Crowson in its management.

The revenue collections in this district during August were $95,134. The amounts were divided as follows: Liquors $18,636, tobacco $47,218, cigars and cigarettes $56,079, playing cards $5.

Thirty tracks enter the new St. Louis union station, just completed at a cost of between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000. It is the largest and handsomest union railway station in the United States, if not in the world.

After taking 5,600 ballots, the Democrats of the fourth Texas district nominated David B. Culberson, son of the present incumbent, for Congress. Another of Congressman Culberson's sons, Chas. A., is the Democratic nominee for Governor of Texas.

The State University opened last week with 430 students, the greatest number present at any opening day in all its history. Fifteen of the students are married and one freshman has a wife and three children. Seven States besides North Carolina are represented.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1, 1894: Galveston, 13,807; New Orleans, 7,983; Mobile, 828; Savannah, 10,396; Charleston, 4,309; Wilmington, 552; Norfolk, 683; Baltimore, none; New York, 75; Boston, ——; Newport News, ——; Philadelphia, 552; West Point, Va., ——; Brunswick, ——; Velasco, ——; Port Royal, ——. Total 38,185.

The new Southern railway syndicate is composed of the Rothschilds of London and Paris, William and Cornelius Vanderbilt of New York, Drexel, Morgan & Co., of London, representing $500,000,000 of capital. These men now own 4,500 miles of railroads in the South and when the system is completed by the addition of the Vanderbilt system the mileage will be 25,000. Thirty million dollars will be spent on the roads in the South.

Indianopolis now holds the world's pacing record. Robt. J. made the second heat in his match with Joe Patchen for $5,000 in 2:02¼ being the fastest mile ever paced, the three heats averaging in speed 2:03¾, making the fastest three heats ever paced. The time by quarters, of the second mile was: First quarter :30, second 1:01¼, third 1:30¼, fourth 2:02¼. In this heat Joe Patchen went like the wind and forced Robt. J to make a spurt of speed almost at the wire that was phenomenal.

Bradstreet's report of last week says: Special telegrams from more important distributing points make it plain that in mercantile lines trade is fairly active. The relatively more satisfactory business situation South than elsewhere is indicated by our reports from Nashville that jobbers are surprised and pleased at the favorable financial situation of Southern merchants. Baltimore merchants have made like reports and add good collections Savannah, Atlanta, Memphis and Charleston report a fair amount of business for the season, and the prospects bright. In the region tributary to Nashville, it is pointed out that the tendency of prices generally is upward, but that Northern dealers prevent advances by offering goods at what are called "panic prices."

The friends of the University of North Carolina will rejoice at its grand success truly says the Wilmington Messenger. "Under the superb management of President Winston this distinguished and venerable seat of learning has more than doubled its numbers within three years. It is now nearly up to its highest watermark before the war, when it had students from more than twenty States and nearly reached 500 in numbers. It starts in its new year with 430, which is more than were ever there at the beginning of a new scholastic year. If properly fostered, it will soon pass its 600 in numbers. Next year it will be one hundred years old when a grand celebration will come off and the "old boys" then living will be sure to be there. Long and greater success to this chief ornament to North Carolina."

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

Rev. W. E. Edmondson, of Murfreesboro, N. C., has passed his examination and will be commissioned a chaplain in the navy. —— The fishing schooner Rigel arrived at North Sidney, N. B., with the passengers and crew of the Miranda, which had on board the Cook arctic exploring party. The Miranda was abandoned August 23rd. ——The Japanese spies surrendered to the Chinese authorities by our consul have been beheaded. In consequence the 700 Japanese in Shanghai have decided to leave the country. ——A conspiracy among a gang of desperadoes in the Kentucky penitentiary to murder the guards and escape has been discovered. ——An assembly of Democrats of West Virginia was fired upon by United States Marshal Vinson and three deputies. One man was killed and three wounded. The marshals took refuge in Kentucky. The trouble grew out of the contest for the seat in the United States Senate. ——Populists at Washington claim that the defection of Senator Jones from the Republican party will have much weight in the West and that they will hold the balance of power in the Senate of the next Congress. ——Secretary Smith, of the St. Louis Bank Note company, has been arrested for furnishing the Mississippi State warrants which were so much like Federal currency. The president of the company will also be arrested and the United States district attorney is preparing a case against the Governor and other officials of the State. ——The Colorado Populists renominate Governor Waite. ——Governor Stone, of Mississippi, refuses to surrender to the Federal Government the plates from which the warrants were struck. ——A great revival under the auspices of the Methodist Church has been going on in Market, Texas. Among the converts was J. W. Brooks, a saloonkeeper. To prove that he was sincere in his profession, Brooks took his entire stock of liquor out into the public square, poured the liquor out and set fire to the boxes and barrels. He also consigned all his licenses to the flames. A crowd of 500 witnessed the performance which was conducted with impressive religious exercises and singing. The stock of goods was valued at $1,000. ——The Supreme Lodge of Knights of Pythias voted against the use of the manual in German. —— The Treasury Department has decided that salt from England is entitled to free importation to this country. ——Frank Davis, a negro boy, was killed at Florence by jumping from a train. ——The Anchor Fire Insurance company, a wild-cat concern of West Virginia, has collapsed. ——There are 100 new and 100 old students at the Agricultural college. ——James Coleman Drayton brings an action for divorce against his wife, who is a daughter of William Astor. ——The Democrats carried Arkansas by about 30,000. They elected their ticket in every county, but five, which the Populits carried. ——The New Hampshire Democrats nominated Col. Henry O. Kent for Governor. ——The statement that Miss Winnie Davis will make Colorado Springs, Colo., her home is untrue. ——The striking coat makers of New York gained a complete victory, which overthrows the sweating system. They returned to work on wages more than double what was paid under that system. ——The Manufacturers' Record notes evidences of greatly increased prosperity at the South, which are attracting the attention of capitalists, manufacturers and farmers from all over the country. ——The Financial and Commercial Chronicle places the cotton crop of 1893-'94 at 7,527,211 bales. —— The Pullman strike has been officially declared off. ——A sugar planters' convention met in New Orleans, composed of about 300 representative men. They decided to withdraw from the Democratic party and affiliate with the Republicans on national issues. They will put up protection candidates in three Congressional districts. ——Two men were arrested at Manning, S. C., charged with counterfeiting. ——Another New York police captain has been dismissed for receiving bribes. ——The Middletown National bank, of Middletown, Pa., has suspended payment. ——Commodore Erben, in command of the Chicago, was 62 years old Thursday and hauled down his admiral's flag and went on the retired list. ——J. P. Bliss made a mile on a bicycle in 1:52 3-5. ——The thieves who recently robbed Dr. J. M. Worth, one of the wealthiest and best known citizens in North Carolina, have been captured. It will be remembered that $500 in cash and $15,000 in notes and bonds was taken from his house. Part of this was recovered from the robbers. ——Hog cholera appears to be epidemic in Lyons county, Kansas. Already over 4,000 hogs have died from the disease. Many breeders have lost their entire stock. The long continued drought is believed to be the cause of the epidemic. ——The Democratic State Convention of South Dakota nominated for Governor James A. Ward; Lieut. Governor, B. M. Tulley. ——The Winchester Repeating Arms Company, of New Haven, Conn., has just completed and shipped to the Chinese Government one million rounds of ammunition. The cartridges were of 45-70 calibre and were sent by rail to the Pacific coast. ——Bradstreet reports trade fairly active with the number of buyers at the large cities increased. All Southern cities report favorable features. ——The bodies of twenty-three Indians—bucks, squaws and papooses—were found in the burned district of Minnesota They were at a temporary hunting lodge off their reservation. ——An Anarchist wrecked a cafe in Turin with a bomb. Nobody was hurt. ——The New York courts have decided that Henry I. Faison, of Faison, N. C., is entitled to the custody of his child, who was taken North a year ago by its mother. —— The Japanese forces in Corea will soon number 100,000. ——The Japanese have taken possession of an island near Port Arthur, much to the surprise of the Chinese. ——The Chinese Government has arranged to purchase half the vessels in the Chilian navy. ——The two Americans banished from Nicaragua did not care to make their cases an international question. ——The city of St. Johns, N. B., is in danger from forest fires which are raging in that section. Much damage has already been done. ——Ex-Congressman Gibson, of West Virginia, in a published letter, denounces Congressman Capehart as a malicious liar. ——The conservative Democrats of South Carolina issue an address, calling a convention on the 17th inst. Dr. Pope, who some time ago withdrew from the race, has changed his mind and will run against the "Tillman ring." —— Edwin G. Hooks, cashier of the Seaboard Air Line at Atlanta, has been arrested on the charge of embezzlement.

The Roanoke Colony Memorial Association.

Baltimore Sun.]

The annual meeting of the Roanoke Colony Memorial Association, which was incorporated under the laws of North Carolina, for the purpose of perpetuating and adorning the site of old Fort Raleigh, the scene of the first settlement by English colonists in North America, was held on August 18 at Nags Head, North Carolina and a report of the meeting is furnished to the American for publication.

All of the Baltimore stockholders were represented by proxy. The association is in good condition financially; the purchase price and incidental expenses attending the transfer of the Fort Raleigh property has been paid, and there is still a balance of $400 in the treasury to serve as the nucleus of a fund for the adornment of the site of the old fort.

Among those present it was thought that the objects of the society could be best met by having the site laid off and permanently marked, and a memorial to the colonists erected with the line enclosure.

The time and place for holding a special meeting were left with Vice President Pruden, who will issue the call. It will probably take place at Raleigh during the State fair, which will be held there late in October. Prior to this meeting the Baltimore stockholders will hold a meeting to discuss the best plans to be adopted by the association in the carrying out of its purpose, and will thus be in a position to go before the general meeting with some definite plans.

Second to the patriotic work of the Roanoke Colony Memorial Association, and incidental to it, is the work of the Virginia Dare Association, organized among the women of North Carolina, with Mrs. E P. Tucker, president, and Mrs. S. S. Cotten, secretary. As is well known, Virginia Dare was the first Anglo-American child born in this country. The place of her birth was old Fort Raleigh, and her fate was that of the colony. The object of this latter association is to commemorate by some memorial the birth of this child, and to render famous this fact in the history of the settlement of the country. At present the association is endeavoring to establish the fact that the women of the United States need a national school of industrial arts; and when established, this school fittingly be dedicated as a memorial to Virginia Dare.

The association has already made much progress in this patriotic purpose. It has been presented with a statue of Virginia Dare by its sculptor, Miss Louisa Lander, of Washington, D. C. This statue will be presented, when received by the association, to the state of North Carolina, and will be placed upon a pedestal in the State house at Raleigh. The statue was to have been in possession of the association last fall, but a combination of adverse circumstances prevented its delivery.

The history of this statue is of peculiar interest. Its existence was not known to the incorporators of the Virginia Dare Association at the time of their incorporation. The idea of carving such a statue was conceived in London, the place where the letters patent for English discoveries were issued, and where the colonies were organized and chartered for settlement in the New World. It was carved in Italy, the birth place of Columbus, the discoverer of America. When completed it was shipped from Italy to America, but was shipwrecked—just as were the hopes and aspirations of Columbus so long as he remained in Italy. This shipwreck occurred off the coast of Spain and was rescued by underwriters, and, in accordance with some salvage law, publicly sold, Miss Lander being permitted to purchase her own property. It was reshipped to America from Palos, the very port from which Columbus sailed on his successful voyage of discovery. It reached America safely, and was placed on exhibition in Boston and sold, to be delivered at the close of the exhibition. The purchaser died suddenly before that time, and his executors declined to confirm the sale.

So the statue remained the property of the sculptor, although boxed and shipped to the purchaser in New York. There it remained in its box until the enthusiasm incident to the Columbian celebration was exciting the land. The organization of the Virginia Dare Association caused its resurrection, and the completion of this unique history lies in the fact that the statue was presented to the Association by Miss Lander. Miss Lander, considering that North Carolina was the most appropriate home for the statue, bequeathed it at her death to the association agreeing to deliver it before her death.

The association, will see that it is properly placed and cared for, and Miss Lander's name and memory properly honored.

Eleven Millions in Jewels.

New York Journal.]

The Russian crown and other state jewels are valued at the enormous sum of $11,000,000, taking United States money as a basis of calculation; the crown itself is worth at least $6,000,000. It is adorned with hundreds of diamonds, individual specimens of which are valued at all the way from a few dollars up to enormous sparklers worth thousands upon thousands of dollars.

Besides the diamonds, which make this costly headdress look as if it had been buried in a shower of falling stars, there are fifty-four pearls, each without a flaw, set around the rim, a ruby of extraordinary size and brilliancy being used as a centrepiece. The crown was made by Panzie, the old-time Genoese court jeweler, and was first used by Catherine the Great.

According to population the city of Milwaukee consumes more beer than any other city in America. Last year she got outside of 2,500,000 barrels, to 2,800,000 for Chicago, which has six times as many people.

A Gigantic Scheme.

A dispatch from Chattanooga says:

The greatest combination of private capital ever before enlisted in one enterprise in the United States is supporting the Southern Railway company. From a thoroughly reliable source, the Times is informed that the underwriters, as they may be termed, of the reorganization scheme of the Richmond and West Point Terminal, and the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railway company, are none other than the Rothschilds of London and Paris and the Vanderbilts of New York—Cornelius and William K.

The reoganization, as is well known, was undertaken and successfully consummated by Drexel, Morgan & Co. of New York, and J. S. Morgan & Co. of London. These two great banking houses interested their richest clients—the Rothschilds and the Vanderbilts. The syndicate really is very small in numbers, for it is divided into four portions, but is colossal in wealth, representing the greatest aggregation of capital in the world—more than $500,000,000. The Rothschilds have one-quarter, the Vanderbilts one-quarter, Drexel, Morgan & Co., one-quarter and J. S. Morgan & Co., one quarter. The reorganization plan provided for $30,000,000 of new capital and it is this sum that the quartette has agreed to supply and more if necessary, the money to be used in heavier rails, new bridges, new equipment, terminals, extensions, etc.

The Southern railway has now acquired in complete ownership 4,500 miles of road and by the reorganization has reduced the bonded indebtedness from $135,000,000 to $90,000,000—just one-third, and the fixed charges from $7,500,000 per annum to $4,500,000—a saving of $3,000,000 per annum. The bonded indebtedness of the road is now less than $20,000 per mile.

The first annual meeting of stockholders is to be held in Richmond, Va., Tuesday, October 2nd, and bonds to the amount of $120,000,000 on the entire property will be authorized. Thirty millions of the bonds are to be used in improvements. The expenditure of this large sum of money in the South along the line of the Southern railway will be far reaching in its effect.

There is now very little doubt that the Southern railway project is simply an extension of the Vanderbilt system into and through the South. The Chesapeake and Ohio will no doubt become a part of the system within a short time and the Queen and Crescent system will ultimately become part of the system, whatever may be the immediate plans of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton people. Through the Cincinnati Southern, the Big Four of the Vanderbilt system will be reached at Cincinnati. The controlling stock of the Central Railroad of Georgia is held by the Southern Railway, and when the property gets into the hands of the security holders, which is only a question of a short time, it will be discovered that the Rothschild-Vanderbilt system is in control. The plans of the Drexel-Morgan people are now so near fruition that it is now no longer a matter of speculation. The greatest railroad combination on earth is near completion. Twenty-five thousand miles of the best railroad property in America will soon be under the control of the Rothschild-Vanderbilt combination. It has been an open secret for some months that the Rothschilds were becoming interested in American railroads.

English and American Churches.

The Forum.

The Church of England holds fast to the three orders of the clergy, to tactual succession, and to the indelibility of its ordinations; and yet all the bishops and the two archbishops are appointed by the Prime Minister, who is a layman and who may be a hard drinker and a man of loose living, like Walpole, for example, or the owner of a great racing stable like the present Prime Minister, the Earl of Rosebery. In the United States one Church is as good as another, and even a little better than any other. The men and women of each congregation control the church property—the preacher being all too often considered as church property as well—and choose their own preacher; and even in the American Episcopal Church, any particular bishop would find it difficult to interfere successfully with any particular congregation's choice of a rector. There is, too, in almost all of these congregations a noticeable, not to say very remarkable, alliance between wealth and goodness, since the church officers are almost invariably the wealthiest men in the congregation. What, then, is the astonishment of "Uncle Sam" to find that "John Bull" says his prayers under totally different control. The great majority of the churches of England are private property. When a large estate is purchased the parish church, or churches, go with the rest of the property. The landlord, or the patron of the livings as he is called with reference to his relation to his church property, chooses the clergyman for every parish on his property and sees to it that the revenue attaching thereto goes to him. He can sell his church living or let it to whom he will; and, although each incumbent is put over the parish for life, at his death the patron may again bestow it upon some one else. So secure was this tenure of the parson in his parish, that it is only recently that an act of Parliament permitted his dismissal even for drunkenness or debt.

A Pleasing Thought.

They speak most truly who do say
We have no writing-folk to-day
Like those whose names, in days gone by,
Upon the scroll of fame stood high.
And when I think of Smollet's tales,
Of waspish Pope's ill-natured rails,
Of Fielding dull, of Sterne too free,
Of Swift's uncurbed indecency,
Of Dr. Johnson's bludgeon-wit,
I must confess I'm glad of it!
—*John Kendrick Bangs in Harper's Weekly.*

Hester's Cotton Report.

A New Orleans telegram of last week says: Secretary Hester's New Orleans Cotton Exchange report on the cotton crop has been issued in full. After stating the crop for 1893-94 was 7,549,879 bales, an excess of 849,452 over last year, he says: The largest part of the gain was in the group of Atlantic States, consisting of Alabama, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina, which ran ahead. The Gulf States, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee, increased 351,000 bales, while Texas dropped off 59,000. Mr. Hester puts the average commercial value of the crop at $37.50 per bale, against $42.50 last year, 1892-93, and the total value was $283,118,000 against $284,150,000 last year and $338,812,000 the year before, showing the remarkable fact that while the output of the last year has been 849,452 bales in excess of the year before, its commercial value is $1,632,000 less. Mr. Hester says that with an average of 7½ cents per pound, which the crop brought, planters as a class, would have been bankrupt had they adhered to their old policy of all cotton and little or no food crops, and instances the significant fact that the cotton States produce over $148,000,000 worth of corn, nearly all of which was consumed where grown.

The commercial crop in bales is given as follows, in thousand bales, for 1893-94: Alabama 935; Arkansas 625; Florida 50, Georgia 1,125; Louisiana 400; Mississippi 916; North Carolina 425; South Carolina 750; Tennessee, etc., 275; Texas and Indian Territory 2,059. Total crop —7,550,000 bales.

In relation to American mills, Mr. Hester says the season has been anything but favorable, North or South. On the heels of their largely decreased takings for 1892-93, Northern mills show a further reduction for the past season of 86,113 bales. The effect of financial stringency and delay as to tariff legislation also were decidedly depressing influences in this industry, and for the first time since the war, a set-back is to be recorded. Instead of an increase of 37,000 bales, which with anything like last year's crop would have resulted from bringing into full play the new spindles added in the South at the close of last year, and the early part of the present season, Southern consumption has fallen off 25,333 bales The total takings North, as shown below were 1,601,173 against 1,687,286 last year and 2,190,766 the year before, while the mills in the South report as their consumption (including takings from ports) 718,415 against 743,848 in 1893-94 and 686,080 in 1891-92.

Commenting on the outlook for cotton consumption in the South, Mr. Hester says, with a return to normal conditions there is promise not only for an increase of 62,000 bales per annum in the products of mills now in operation, but tables show 21 new mills, not completed, with nearly 100,000 spindles, besides 36 idle mills with 130,000 spindles, a good part of which would be brought into play. In other words, the South has 2,500,000 spindles with a consumption capacity of 825,000 bales per annum.

Lost Opportunity.

Baltimore Sun.]

Time ships by us almost unheeded, never to return. It cannot be saved like money, to be used after awhile, or stored as in a reservoir. Each moment is given to us but once. We must make use of it or it will pass away, never to return. To the wage-worker especially, time is of very great value. He cannot afford to waste any of it. This does not mean that he shall never be idle. On the contrary, he will make a great mistake if by overtasking himself he cripples his powers of work. Time is wasted unless it is used so as to keep a sound mind in a sound body. There must be an adequate allowance of time for rest and time for recreation, or the time for work cannot be fully utilized. The greatest waste of time and opportunities, however, is committed by young men and young women. They do not realize the value of time until years have rolled away and they find themselves bound down to hard labor that they might have escaped if they had taken time to improve their minds or develop some kind of special skill that would put their services in demand. Much of the distress of the world falls upon the workers of little skill, whose places can easily be filled from a great throng of other incompetents, always seeking a job. Very many of these (not all, perhaps) have wasted their time and opportunity in their youth. They have sought recreation and amusement when they should have been studying; they have refused to work at any calling that required them to soil their hands or their clothes; they have accepted easy situations and have reached manhood or womanhood ignorant, lazy, and incapable of giving useful service to their employers. But they cannot recall one minute of the wasted hours and days of their youth.

No repentance will bring back to them lost opportunities. They are doomed as by a fate, for which they are themselves in part responsible, to a life of ill paid toil or of shame. This lesson cannot be too often held up before the young, for they are thoughtless and always more or less indifferent to the lessons of experience. Here and there, however, one may be found who will listen to the warning against the waste of time. In doing so he need not sacrifice the rational enjoyments of life. There is abundant time for play, as well as for study and work and rest, if one will make a proper division. And there will be no waste of time if each hour is made to help build up the physical, mental or moral qualities, or to develop some special skill that will be useful in the bread-winning contests of the future.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Snap-Shots from the Monroe Journal.

The Populists are yelling themselves hoarse for fair elections, and they are actually going to bring this about by fusion with the Republicans, who have the distinction of having stolen out-right a presidential election. Well!

Let every good citizen in North Carolina remember the terrible condition of affairs when the Republicans had control of the State, and then ask himself if he can do anything that will directly or indirectly help put the same party back in power. Is it sensible?

Bear in mind that this administration which the People are berating so loudly has already saved the people $24,000,000, by taking names from the pension rolls that were fraudulently put there under the Republican administration. Yet the Populists are fusing with the Republicans and helping to put them back into power.

The word "People's Party" is a misnomer. It should be called "Butler's Party," since that distinguished mogul is supreme dictator, commander in chief, and formulator of creeds. The Populists talk about the Democrats getting instruction from their bosses, when every loyal Pop would break his neck at the slightest behest of Lord Butler.

The Populists in their calls for meetings, conventions, etc., ask all who are opposed to Democratic and Republican legislation to come together. When they get together they try by all means to "fuse" with those same Republicans whom they have come together to oppose!

Some of our Third Party friends may not believe that S. Otho Wilson pledged the Populist party of Wake county to vote for a negro for the legislature. If they doubt it they may find out the truth of it by writing to any citizen of Raleigh and asking for the proceedings of the Republican convention held there last Saturday.

Two years ago Boss Butler published as as an editorial in his paper the following:

"If you elect your ticket, you do it at the sufferance of the Republican party, and you are at their mercy now and in the future. If you are the cause of the Republican party capturing the State, you have given a heavy blow to the cause of reform and put the management of your State in unworthy hands. Let not those who want office more than they do reform precipitate you into taking any such unwise action."

He is now the great apostle of fusion with those same Republicans! But he isn't suffering with the itch for office, oh, no!

What Congress Has Done.

The little book entitled, "What Congress has Done," with its contents of blank pages, created considerable amusement at the time it was published. Mr. Hall, of Minnesota, has turned it to good account by publishing a fac simile of the volume in title and appearance with sixteen pages containing a closely printed report of his speech on the tariff in which he answers the conundrum "What Congress Has Done," with this summary at the close:

It has made all money equally taxable.

It has restored confidence in our currency and finances.

It has given to all our people the opportunity of living cheaper and better.

It has shattered the protective trusts of McKinleyism.

It has placed the burden of taxation upon the rich man's surplus as well as upon every man's needs.

I has restored the freedom of elections.

It has placed the transactions of the government and its methods of accounting upon a business basis.

It has greatly reduced the expenditures of the government.

For one solid year it has maintained an unrelenting fight against the trusts and monopolies which protection had created.

"It has fought the good fight, it has finished the course, it has kept the faith."

Highest and Lowest States.

Every schoolboy knows which is the smallest and which the largest State in the Union, but how many know which is the lowest and which the highest? According to the recently announced results of measurements and calculations made by the United States geological survey Delaware is the lowest State, its elevation over sea level averaging only 60 feet. Colorado is the highest, averaging 6,800 feet above the sea level, while Wyoming is a close second, only 100 feet lower than Colorado. In minimum elevation Florida and Louisiana dispute for second place after Delaware their average elevation being, for each, 100 feet. Taking the United States as a whole, our country lies slightly above the average elevation of the land of the globe.

When David went forth to combat with the giant Goliath he was little aware that in a future day and generation, his exploit would furnish an illustration of the merits of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But giant disorders will often succumb to these little "Pellets," which can and do remove the source of disease. Constipation, an inactive liver and impaired digestion will grow into serious maladies if not conquered in their earlier stages. The "Pellets" will cure disordered liver, sick headache, dyspepsia, piles, constipation and its accompanying ills.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Number Nine.

New York Tribune.

It is not often that a single figure has enjoyed the distinction of being the subject of long study and investigation on the part of a German university professor. But "The Number Nine" is the title of a long and learned article in Am Urquell by Professor Reinhold, rector of the University of Berlin.

"In early times," writes in substance the professor, "the first uneven number (3) and its multiple (9) were considered of special importance, likewise all numbers which contained nine. Heathen philosophers or Christian mystic writers, the legends of nations, the religions of modern peoples, all go to prove the holiness or sanctity of the number nine.

"In ancient Germanic life, in poetry, in religion and law the number nine is met everywhere. It still has its influence in German customs and German belief. In Scandinavian mythology we find groups of nine Walkyries, nine Dises, nine giant mermaids, or women of the sea; nine mothers of the god Heimdall, nine virgins of the Menglod-Rowja and nine dwarfs.

"In the middle ages nine heroes were usually grouped together, as is to be seen on the beautiful fountain at Nuremberg and the Hauss salon of the Cologne city hall. In the poetry of the fifteenth century groups of nine are favored. Proofs of this are to be found in the festival plays Nos. 38 and 47 of the Keller collection and the poem 'The Nine Poor Wanderers' of Hans Sachs.

"There were nine judges in Icelandic and Germanic law, known as 'the nines.' In Lucerne there existed until 1795 the nine men who sat in judgment on ordinary police cases. Nine children were formerly looked on as the ideal number for a family. Even animals are named in old tales in groups of nine. In a Grimm fairy tale nine birds quarrel over the wishing cloak. They say in Tyrol, 'When nine parents meet, there is a witch among them.' We also find nine a favored number for those people who make sacrifices of human beings and animals."

A correspondent is involved in domestic perplexities. He write: "I got acquainted with a young widow who lived with her step daughter in the seme house. I married the widow; and my father fell shortly afterward in love with the step-daughter of my wife, and married her. My wife became the mother-in-law and also the daughter-in-law of my own father; my wife's step-daughter is my step-mother, and I am the step-father of my mother-in-law. My step-mother, who is the step-daughter of my wife, has a boy; he is naturally my step-brother, because he is the son of my wife's step-daughter, so is my wife the grandmother of the little boy, and I am the grandfather of my step-brother. My wife has also a boy; my step-mother is consequently the step-sister of my boy, and is also his grandmother, because he is the child of her step-son; and my father is the brother-in-law of my son, because he has his step-sister for a wife. I am the brother of my own son, who is the son of my step-mother; I am the brother-in-law of my mother, my wife is the aunt of her own son, my son is the grandson of my father, and I am my own grandfather. Here is an awful example."

The Worst in England

The Pall Mall Gazette recently asked its readers to name the worst railway in England. And one English kicker answered thus: "Sir—The Southeastern railway is the very worst railway in the world. The engines are asthmatic. Its lamps are trimmed by foolish virgins. Its fares are excessive. Its carriages let in the snow in winter and are furnaces in summer. Its motto is unpunctuality. Its principal station is approached through the neck of a bottle. It ruins the temper, destroys the digestion and enables one to realize the horrors of Dante's 'Inferno.' I am, sirs, yours obediently, The Worm Who Turns."

The Sweet Girl Graduate.

She wrote sonorous Latin verse,
She knew Greek books erratic,
She quickly solved equations, too,
Both simple and quadratic.
She talked on topics most abstruse
With aplomb quite dumbfounding.
Her fund of scientific lore
Was really most astounding.
But when she made a birthday cake—
I am a loath confesant—
All those who chanced to eat of it
Are not yet convalescent.
—*Arkansas Traveller.*

When lovely women overworks,
And finds too late her health gives way,
What charm can soothe her melancholy?
What art can take the pain away?

One of the saddest cases a physician meets, is that of some sweet, modest woman, who in striving to make her home life happy, has overtaxed her delicate constitution, until her health is so completely broken down, that her every moment is misery. Natural feelings of delicacy, prompt her to defer consulting a physician, until the most serious results have ensued. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription removes the necessity of any embarrassing consultation with a physician. Dr. Pierce has devoted a long active life to the closest study of woman's diseases, and no specialist in the world is better fitted to prescribe than he. Complete directions are given with each bottle. For periodical pains, bearing down sensations, nervous debility and all uterine disorders, "Favorite Prescription" is a sure cure.

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After living nearly four years in Fayetteville, I think the public need have no doubt as to my ability as a mechanic; and after looking through our two cemeteries it will be convinced that my efforts to raise the standard in marble work has not been in vain, as the many handsome monuments and tablets will attest.

With thanks to the public for past patronage I hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Very truly,
E. L. REMSBURG.

Sale of Valuable Land.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, as Commissioner appointed by the Court, I shall expose to public auction at the Market House in Fayetteville at 12 o'clock on Monday, September 24, 1894, that valuable tract of land belonging to the estate of Wm. Williams, deceased, situated in the city of Fayetteville on Gillespie and Dick streets, and divided into four lots fronting on both of said streets.

These are the most valuable and desirable building lots now for sale in the city. A plot of the same can be seen at the office of the Commissioner at any time before the sale

Terms: One half cash, balance in six months with interest at 8 per cent from sale.

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GEO. M. ROSE,
Aug. 20, 1894—4t Commissioner.

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HONESTY THE BEST POLICY.

The above is not a very wholesome doctrine in the abstract, and as a rule of action is not to be commended. But, considering the frailty of human nature, it is not amiss, once in a while, to fortify the willing spirit by the promise of strength for the flesh. Some weeks ago, in referring to the President's now famous pronouncement in his Wilson letter that "the consummation of a tariff framed in obedience to Democratic principles, is so interwoven with Democratic pledges and Democratic success that our abandonment of the cause or the principles upon which it rests means party perfidy and party dishonor," we had occasion to speak as follows:

"That is a platitudinous expression of the bargain which the party made at Chicago with the people—who at last so overwhelmingly trusted it because of its unequivocal speech—which no honest man can object to. In fact it is but the common expression, read every day in the press and heard every day now on the platform, of loyal Democrats throughout the land; and he must indeed be blind who does not see that the people intend hereafter to get value received for their ballots, and that the day of the facing-both-ways platform-maker is gone forever."

The truth of the worldly proposition that forms our text, and of the modest prediction which we ventured to make in the above quotation, was never more completely illustrated than in the effect of the plain utterances of the late Democratic State convention upon the condition of the Democratic party in North Carolina. Before, all was chaos, and good men everywhere trembled at contemplation of the explosives within the party which the assembling of the State convention might rudely jostle. Since, all seems as plain as day, and the *morale* of the party was never better, if, indeed, it ever was so good. See, in this connection, the views of Senator Jarvis on this subject, as elsewhere quoted.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Our excellent contemporaries continue to live and prosper. The Pittsboro Record has entered upon its seventeenth volume, the Monroe Enquirer its twenty-second, and the Goldsboro Headlight upon its eighth. Continued success to them all.

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If we may judge by the backwardness of Republicans to seek place on the fusion tickets, or to accept nominations at the hands of the fusionists when offered, the prominent men of the former persuasion are not sanguine of the success of the movement against the Democracy in this State.

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A Washington dispatch says: "The Democratic congressional campaign committee proposes to use as campaign material an advertisement of John Wanamaker, ex-Postmaster General, in which he announces that in view of the new tariff on domestic goods he will be obliged to sell his wares much cheaper than under the McKinley law."

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A Republican contemporary, defending fusion, says it is "just as legitimate as it is for two churches to get together to fight the liquor traffic." The comparison does not hold good. The "liquor traffic" is not another church. The fusion of Populists and Republicans is to fight another thing of their own kind, viz: another party. It looks as if "confusion" is not a "misfit," after all, for those who thus attempt to multiply apples by oranges.

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Notwithstanding the Populist boast, the election in Arkansas, like that in Alabama, and, a little further back, like that in Virginia, discloses unexpected weakness for that party. Our excellent contemporary, the Newbern Journal well says: "Men want something besides a calamity howl to build a party on. Populist orators go about exaggerating present evils and predicting worse if the Democracy is not overthrown, but they have nothing to offer in its stead. They are ready to burn down the house our fathers built, but they have nothing with which to build another. They haven't a piece of timber big enough to make a shingle. It really looks as if Democracy is invincible before the people. * * With good candidates who stand flat-footed on the platform, the Democracy is invincible." Nevertheless, it will never do to be cocksure of anything in politics. The Democracy must take no chances. It has a lot of hard work before it, which it cannot afford to omit one jot of until the polls close in November. The party in this county, and generally in the State, is in fine trim for an aggressive campaign. The enemy is on the run. Keep him so.

The Platform Turned the Tide in North Carolina.

Senator Jarvis in Raleigh News and Observer.

"While in the beginning I had some apprehensions as to the result in North Carolina, I can say, from the information I have received from various sections of the State, that I now have no doubt whatever of the election of a Democratic Legislature, and the Democratic candidates for State Treasurer and Judges, and a majority, if not all, of our Congressional candidates."

"What has turned the tide in our favor?"

"I think the passage of the tariff measure, and the bold, outspoken position of the party in the late State convention upon the money question, has caused a decidedly favorable change in the current of the popular thought of North Carolina. The people of North Carolina are partial to a straightforward, manly course, in parties and individuals. When the Democratic State convention declared its position upon the money question it did it in a way that can leave no doubt as to the position of the Democratic party of North Carolina upon that important and absorbing question. I regard the money question as the great question of American politics, and I may add, of the civilized world. North Carolina has made the most positive statement upon this great question of any State in the Union that has yet spoken, and I believe the party's utterance upon this point is in harmony with the views of the mass of the voters of the State."

"What do you think of the enemy's fight?"

"In view of the bold utterance of our party on the money question, I do not believe the Republicans and Populists can fuse successfully throughout the State. A great many good, sincere and honest men have gone into the Populist party on account of their extreme views upon the money question, and I don't believe these men will go into a fusion with the Republican party which has stood and is still standing for everything that is antagonistic to the teachings of the Populist party. The Republicans in Congress and out of it have been the steadfast, uncompromising enemies of silver, and I don't believe that the Populists will aid—either directly or indirectly, as they would aid them by fusion—in putting the Republican party back in power. Nor do I believe that the great body of the colored people can be carried from one party into another by those who were once their white leaders, as in former days. I believe the colored voter is beginning to think for himself, and hundreds of them this year will vote for those men and measures which they think will benefit their State and their race. So that, upon the whole, I do not think that fusion in North Carolina will pan out as well as its promoters anticipated."

Mr. Grady on the Political Situation.

A correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer says:

Congressman Grady, now in this city, gave an encouraging report from the third district, where he has been on a visit to his family. He says that the prospects for Democratic success are continually brightening—that the populists are losing ground. "It will be," Mr. Grady says, "a pretty warm campaign in the district, but Mr. Shaw will be elected. Mr. Spiers is a good man. Personally, I like him, and while I believe he is an honorable man in all other respects, I believe he is thoroughly rotten as a politician. He will receive the white Republican votes and a portion of the colored votes—probably a majority, but not all. Dr. Thompson is a very clever gentleman and a fair scholar, but he has been fighting for reforms, which, so far as they are beyond the reforms demanded by the Democratic party are chimerical. I believe he is honestly mistaken and I believe the sober second thought of the farmers of that district will agree with me when the election comes off. Dr. Thompson will perhaps receive good votes, Mr. Spiers, 4,500, and Mr. Snaw will probably receive 13,000. I believe in the people, and every man in the Third district wants good government as well as I do, and when they get over the excitement which has been produced during the last three or four years by misguided leaders, and when they come to understand their duty to themselves and to their children, they will never consent to turn North Carolina over to a set of untried men, many of whom figured in the days of reconstruction and radical outrages, which has been inflicted on no other civilized people in a century. The old mossy back radicals cannot deceive the honest patriotic farmer who loves North Carolina, and who remembers the set of tyrants with whom he has been for thirty years identified."

In regard to the Populists of the United States, Mr. Grady said: "Men are discovering that Western Populists, whom the populists of the South are trying to form an alliance with, are little better than socialists. Western men, foreigners too who have recently been naturalized, have lived in the territories which have been governed by Congress with all the imperialism and paternalism that Rome exercised towards her conquerred provinces. They have lived under that government for a number of years and have become accustomed to it. They were not prepared on their transition into States for the notion of sovereignty and independence in their States which had been inherited by the people of the old States. Hence they have continued to look to Congress to supervise and superintend all their interests. These notions which have been largely chrystalized in the People's party of the West are utterly repugnant to the traditional opinions of the Southern people as to the nature of the government which the thirteen States created in 1878–'79. It is quite evident, therefore, that when sifted to the bottom there can be no sympathy between the Western Populist and the Southern farmer. This is gradually dawning upon the minds of the farmers who have gone into Populism. The people of Northern States, the bodies of organized labor with whom Populists of the South have been hoping to unite are all in favor of compelling farmers of the South to pay high prices for protected goods manufactured in the United States, as they believe their rate of wages depends upon these high prices. There can therefore be nothing at all in common between the Southern farmers and the Northern laboring man.

This is so plain it seems to me a blind man could see it. The platform of the Populist Convention, prepared by a Socialist, contained a clause that brought forth some little difference of sentiment over the socialistic creed—but T. J. Morgan and his followers were too strong for the opposers, and the plank was adopted, which reads as follows: 'We recommend to those we represent in this conference to vote for those candidates of the Peoples party at the coming election who will pledge themselves to the principles of the collective ownership by the people of all such means of production and distribution as the people elect to operate for the commonwealth!' They, you see, propose for Congress to buy up the whole thing— railroads, telegraph, factories, etc., where labor is employed. Every sensible man in the United States knows if all these things were done, Russian despotism would be Democracy in its mildest form, compared to the government at Washington City. The political party, which came into power with all this patronage could never be dislodged by ballots. These facts about the Populists are beginning to dawn upon the political men of North Carolina and all over the South. One thing I may say about this People's party—the farmers of the country have been suffering on account of numerous changes of the industries of the country due to improved machinery and improved methods. If this is not an exageration there are 99 men engaged in farming out of the 100 who would have been engaged in manufacturing a century ago, for one man with a machine can make as much cloth, shoes, nails, etc., as 100 could a century ago. Cheap transportation by land and water has brought every farmer of the world in cheap competition with every other farmer. While it is true that the protectionist deceives the farmers with the notion that they are blest by what they call home markets, it is also true that every pound of cotton, meal, beef, etc., is sold to the buyer in the United States at Liverpool prices, minus commissions, cost of transportation, etc. The results of these changes in manufacturing and transportation have been coming on our people gradually ever since the invention of the steam engine. They are evils, if we choose to call them evils, which are not the result of laws, except patent laws, and yet the People's party are told by their leaders that all these evils can be remedied by legislation. Of course some men know better, or at any rate they will see better when the truth is called to their attention."

Mr. Grady said: "It is to me rather a sad fact that men who have set themselves or have been set up by other people, should indulge in so much unreasonable and ridiculous antagonism to the Democratic party. Some men with fair, or seeming fair, intellects won't read anything but Third party papers. They take the Populist doctrine blind-folded, and they are bitter against the Democrats. Take the pension question. It is urged that the Democratic party has spent, or rather squandered, more money in pensions since Mr. Cleveland came in than the Republican did under Mr. Harrison. Let us look at this matter a little while. It was said by Mr. Garfield, or by Gen. Grant, I believe, that $37,000,000 would be the high water mark for pensions. If the Republicans could have controlled the South it is quite likely that this prediction would have been fulfilled, but when they lost the South in 1876 it became necessary for them to solidify the North, and the cheapest way for them to do would be to enter in a partnership with the Grand Army of the Republic. This they set about to do. In 1880 the pension disbursements jumped to $57,000,000 from $33,000,000 the year before. The struggle of Republicans in Congress to increase pension expenditures in order to bribe old soldiers, forced Northern Democrats in self defense to vie with them. The contest went on for several years. The disbursements running up by 1889 to $89,000,000, and in 1890 $206,000,000. Now bear in mind, in 1890 the Democrats swept the country and the Tom Reed Congress burned up their pension legislation as their expenditures were in 1891, $118,000,000, in '92, $132,000,000; in '93, $158,000,000, and in '94, $166,000,000. These were the appropriations. Any member of Congress who has been here long enough to understand the temper and purpose of the Republican party cannot fail to understand what these increased expenditures were intended for. Two objects were in view in 1890: the first, was as I said, to buy up soldiers votes in the North; second, to squander all the money in the treasury and embarrass the Democrats when they should come in power. That is to say to compel them to borrow money by using United States bonds, and prevent them from interfering with the McKinley protection. This is the plain truth about the whole matter known to everybody who has had an opportunity to study and understand the question. And as I say it is a sad thing to me—to see men who know nothing about it misrepresenting the truth. It is quite true as I said before that Northern Democrats have been compelled to vie with Northern Republicans in efforts to control soldier votes. But what about Western Populists? They have labored just as hard as the Republicans to gain the favor of the old soldiers. Is there any excuse, therefore, for a Populist leader in the South to undertake to bring odium on the Democratic party on account of increased pension expenditures? The man does not realize what a pitiable object he is.

THE TOWNSHIP PRIMARIES.

BEAVER DAM.

Pursuant to a call of the Democratic Executive Committee of Cumberland County, we the Democrats of Beaver Dam township met in mass meeting Saturday Sept. 8th, 1894, organized with P. P. Hall, chairman, and A. S. Hall, secretary.

The following good and true Democrats were elected as Township Executive Committee: J. J. Bullard, S. Vinson, S. G. Rollings, M. Hall and J. S. Horne. After which the following delegates were elected to represent the township in the County Convention:

Delegates—Simon Smith, S. G. Rollings, A. Simmons and Charles Cogdell, Jr.

Alternates—A. S. Hall, G. F. Bryant, J. J. Bullard and J. W. Hall.

H. C. Hales was nominated a candidate for Constable to succeed C. E. Bullard. The meeting was harmonious and well attended, and from all appearances, the indications are we will have a glorious Democratic victory in November.

P. P. HALL, Ch'n.

A. S. HALL, Sec'y.

BLACK RIVER.

The Democratic primary of Black River Township was held at the regular place of meeting.

The following delegates were elected to the County Convention:

Delegates—I. Strickland, J. M. Starling, W. M. Pope, W. J. Smith, W. D. Smith, W. B. Warren, G. L. W. Jackson, J. H. Ballance, J. D. McPhail and Erasmus Lee.

Executive Committee—W. J. Smith, J. H. Ballance, G. L. W. Jackson, Isaac Strickland and William Culbreth.

I. STRICKLAND.

CROSS CREEK.

Delegates—A. B. Williams, J. A. Burns, I. W. Clark, C. B. McMillan, A. A. McKethan, B. R. Taylor, H. R. Novitzky, W. F. Campbell, J. N. Emmitt, W. D. Gaster, E. E. Gorham, D. R. Huffines, J. E. Garrett, S. W. Tillinghast, W. H. Powell, D. P. Williams, J. G. Hollingsworth, W. S. Cook, Wm. Alderman, G. M. Rose, E. L. Ciark, John Roddick, G. A. Burns, D. A. McMillan, J. H. Monaghan, W. W. Huske, E. J. Hale, F. S. Maultsby, E. L. Pemberton, W. G. Hall, R. O. Whitaker, Chas. Haigh, Q. K. Nimocks, W. V. Hardin, W. H. Flowers, J. C. Vann, H. L. Cook, R. F. Amos, N. A. Sinclair, Lewis Nixon, C. M. Watson, J. C. Haigh, B. R. Huske.

Alternates—J. D. McNeill, C. H. McLaughlin, G. G. Myrover, J. A. Pemberton, Sr., Chas. Glover, A. S. Huske, J. B. Tillinghast, Joseph Atkins, T. H. Whaley, R. W. Powers, S. H. Strange, N. W. Ray, H. R. Horne, E. C. Smith, A. P. Johnson, C. P. Overby, J. B. Starr, C. B. Ledbetter, W. F. Leak, W. B. Johnson, W. C. McDuffie, Sr., H. E. Sheetz, W. M. Martin, R. Strange, James Kyle, J. D. Brown, J. A. Sikes, John M. Wright, W. B. Whitehead, Walter Watson, J. H. Marsh, B. E. Sedberry, R. M. Prior, J. W. Hollingsworth, Needham Ingram, J. H. Buckingham, J. T. Denny, M. McI. Matthews, G. A. Overbaugh, B. F. Beasley, F. W. Thornton, Jr., C. J. Hedgepeth, W. C. Holland.

Executive Committee—J. D. McNeill, G. A. Burns, I. W. Clark, W. W. Huske, W. H. Flowers.

CARVER'S CREEK.

Primary Meeting—The following delegates were elected to the County Convention:

J. B. McCormick, B. T. McBryde, Chas. Frazoll, W. L. Williams, Theo. Byrd, S. R. Surles, H. E. Bill, W. B. Ray, A. McBuie, J. N. Phillips, M. J. Buie, Jno. C. Adams, J. H. Wilkins, J. M. Porter, Geo. A. McKay, Alex. McArtan, D. C. Culbreth, W. A. Tillinghast, W. J. Green, A. G. Brady, A. A. McCormick, Cader Parker, K. Raynor, M. K. Hemenway, Norment Reardon, R. B. Parker.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the delegates from Carver's Creek Township to the County Convention at Fayetteville September 13th be instructed to vote for B. T. McBryde for the Lower House of the Legislature, and that they use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

Resolved, That if we fail to get our choice, that we will give our loyal support to the nominees, whoever they may be.

Resolved, That our delegates be instructed to vote for a Senatorial Primary Election.

The following Executive Committee were elected:

A. McBuie, Chairman; Theo. Byrd, Secretary; J. B. McCormick, Geo. T. Byrd, W. L. Williams.

A Democratic Club was organized with the following officers:

W. L. Williams, President; Jno. C. Adams, Secretary; B. T. McBryde, Treasurer.

Resolved, That that sterling Democratic paper, the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, be requested to publish the proceedings of our meeting.

W. L. WILLIAMS, Ch'm'n;
JNO. C. ADAMS, A. MCBUIE, Sec'ys.

CEDAR CREEK.

A meeting of the Democrats of Cedar Creek Township was held at Carter's School House, Sept. 8th, 1894, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention. The following delegates were elected:

Delegates—H. B. Downing, D. J. Wheeler, Ed. Sessoms, W. B. Draughon, W. C. Fields, H. B. Everett, R. A. Melvin, J. B. Bryant, J. P. Robertson, N. L. Ray.

Alternates—D. W. Bullard, H. C. Carter, A. W. Melvin, J. H. Faircloth, Alex. Thagard, H. E. Smith, J. D. Sessoms, J. B. Hair, Sr., S. F. McDaniel, W. T. Clifton.

The Township Executive Committee to serve for the next two years are: W. C. Fields, chairman; Ed. Sessoms, H. C. Carter, R. J. Hair, H. E. Smith.

W. C. FIELDS, Ch'n.

H. B. DOWNING, Sec'y.

FLEA HILL.

Flea Hill Democrats met in primary meeting Sept. 8th, 1894. Col. T. W. Devane, chairman, called the meeting to order and made a little speech, declaring himself a Democrat, and thanked the people for past honors, and called Mr. H. H. Bolton temporary chairman, and G. A. McDonald secretary. The meeting proceeded to elect the following delegates:

Delegates—G. A. McDonald, John D. Autry, S. B. Talbott, F. H. Hobbs, J. M. R. Williams.

Alternates—W. G. Holmes, W. J. Sessoms, D. F. McDonald, D. A. McAllister, S. F. Breece.

Col. Devane moved that five members be appointed a committee to recommend an Executive Committee of five members to serve for the next two years. The following gentlemen were appointed said committee:

Josiah Cook, D. J. Breece, Thos. Lovick, Peter N. Talbott; J. L. McDonald.

Col. Devane and Mr. H. H. Bolton made speeches while the committee were out.

The committee recommended the following gentlemen: J. R. Borden, G. A. McDonald, F. H. Hobbs, D. J. Breece, P. N. Talbott.

Col. Devane moved the report of the committee be accepted.

Mr. D. J. Breece made a very appropriate speech.

The executive committee retired and elected Mr. D. J. Breece their chairman, and Mr. P. N. Talbott, secretary.

We had a full and enthusiastic meeting. No other business the meeting adjourned.

GRAY'S CREEK.

At a meeting of the Democratic voters of Gray's Creek Township on the 8th of September, the following resolution was adopted: That Mr. Hervy Evans be made permanent chairman of Gray's Creek Township; F. A. March acting as secretary.

The following were appointed as delegates to the County Convention that meets in Fayetteville on Thursday, September 13th, 1894:

Delegates—W. H. Marsh, J. P. Thames, J. B. Butler, W. L. Nunaly, W. C. Riddle, J. D. Johnson.

A resolution was adopted that any Democrat might sit in the convention in case of absence of a regular delegate.

The following were appointed for Gray's Creek Township Executive Committee: Walter Maxwell. J. B. Butler, F. A. Marsh, J. P. Thames, E. H. Evans.

HERVY EVANS, Ch'n.

F. A. MARSH, Sec'y.

LITTLE RIVER.

The Democrats of Little River Township met at Smith's Shop and organized by electing J. A. Wright, Chairman, and J. H. Smith, Secretary.

The following Democrats were appointed as delegates to the County Convention to be held in Fayetteville on Thursday the 13th inst.; viz:

Delegates—J. H. Smith, J. T. Scarboro, Daniel McCrimmon and A. D. McLauchlin.

Alternates—J. A. Wright, Ed. L. McNeill, R. A. Parrish and D. J. Priest.

The following were elected as Township Executive Committee for the ensuing two years: J. A. Wright, Chairman; A. D. McLauchlin, A. A. McNeill, D. J. Priest, R. A. Parrish. J. H. Smith was elected permanent Secretary.

On motion, the convention adjourned.

J. A. WRIGHT, Ch'n.
J. H. SMITH, Sec'y.

ROCKFISH.

The Primary held in Rockfish Township Saturday, September 8th, elected the following list as delegates and alternates to the County Convention:

Delegates—James H. Johnson, Hector McNeill, W. D. Campbell, W. Frank Blount, Ed. Wishart, A. A. Harrington, N. F. Holmes, W. K. Parker, J. A. Davis, L. McDonald, G. C. Ray, John McCall, E. A. Poe.

Alternates—A. W. Falkner, E. Worrell, Alexander Biggs, J. C. Deaver, Miles Biggs, D. C. Brown, James Fisher, J. A. McFadyen, David Smith, Samuel Crutchfield, W. M. Cameron, Ed. McDonald, T. Hamilton.

The Executive Committee consists of Z. B. Newton, Chairman; A. A. Harrington, Lauchlin McDonald, J. C. Culbreth and E. A. Poe.

Reserving reference to self, a better committee could not have been elected.

G. A. Graham was nominate for Constable.

One hundred and forty-six votes were cast for delegates.

Strict rules were adopted as to who should vote. As the vote was under the rules it shows that the Republican high tariff club has not made much out of the Democratic ranks.

Z. B. NEWTON, Ch'n.

SEVENTY FIRST.

The following are the delegates from 71st Township:

Delegates—Ed Monroe; J. D. Lockamy, N. M. D. Clark, John P. Buie, D. M. L. Holt, W. P. McCaskill, John A. McIntyre, R. E. Harris, J. E. Hughes, J. D. Worrell, Jr., S. R. Parker, J. E. Elliott, Wm. Raynor, L. M. White, K. R. Raynor, Neven McLaurin, Jesse Newton, Neill Martin, Thos. Monroe, Neill Clark, Dr. H. N. Monroe, J. J. McDonald, D. L. Grimes, J. H. Culbreth, D. S. Bowls, A. G. Lindsay, N. C. Bethea, Dr. W. G. Ray, J. B. Holt, A. H. Adcock, L. M. Maxwell, A. J. Gillis, N. R. McNeill, W. B. Currie, D. G. Blue, Neill McGill, Jr., J. W. Seull, John Black, D. J. Culbreth, Jas. A. McNeill, Colin Shaw, D. McN. Ray, J. C. McGugan, J. F. McFadyen, N. D. McLauchlin, W. H. McPherson, J. B. Huske, W. M. McPherson, J. M. Owen, J. R. Burney, J. M. Williams, Jos. A. Graham, Jas. A. McArthur, D. B. Currie, J. D. Black, J. H. Currie, A. Carmichael, W. R. C. Blount, D. A. Shaw, Alex. Kennedy, R. W. Gillis, Hugh McCall, Jos. A. Shaw, D. L. Monroe, W. S. Carter, Malichi Dees, Geo. D. Breece.

Executive Committee—J. E. Elliott, chairman; N. M. D. Clark, J. W. McLauchlin, J. M. Williams, D. Shaw, Jr.

QUEWHIFFLE.

Pursuant to notice the Democratic part, of Quewhiffle Township assembled in convention at Cabin Branch.

The convention was called to order by D. K. McDuffie, Chairman of the Executive Committee of said township; W. M. Blue acting as secretary.

The convention then proceeded to elect an Executive Committee for the ensuing two years. The following members were elected: W. M. Blue, J. A. Blue, J. A. Campbell, J. A. Cameron, R. A. Gillis.

The following men were chosen as delegates to the County Convention to convene at Fayetteville on September 13th:

Delegates—J. A. Blue, S. J. Cameron, R. A. Gillis, W. M. Blue, J. A. Campell, J. A. Cameron, Jno. T. Sinclair, J. K. McLeod, D. J. Ray, M Campbell, R. L. Bethune, D. J. Blue. D. K. McDUFFIE, Ch'n.

W. M. BLUE, Sec'y.

The Tariff on Cottons.

New York World.]

The cotton schedule is one of the worst in the Senate bill. Bad as it is, however, there is some relief in it from the burdens of McKinleyism, especially to persons who are under the necessity of purchasing the cheapest goods. Cotton laces and plushes, the luxuries of those who are in moderate circumstances, are still taxed heavily, but coarse cotton cloth ought to be much cheaper under the new than it was under the old law.

Cotton cloth is divided into several classes. They are: first, cloths having fewer than 50 threads to the square inch; second, having from 50 to 100 threads; third, 100 threads; fourth, 100 to 150; fifth, 150 to 200; sixth, more than 200. Then we have unbleached, bleached and printed cloths in each class.

In the first class the average price per yard of the small quantity of goods imported in 1893 was 5 cents for unbleached, 8½ cents for bleached, and between 8 and 9 cents for prints. The rates of duty were 42, 30 and 47 per cent. Under the new law the rates are 2½, 15 and 23, a reduction of about 50 per cent.

The prices were about the same in the second class, but the reductions of duty on bleached and print cloth are less, ranging from 35 to 42 per cent. In the third class the prices ranged from 9 to 17 cents a yard, and the reductions of duty made by the new law from 14 to 28½ per cent. In the highest quality of cloths the price runs as high as 38 cents a yard, and the reduction of duty on goods of that kind is only 11 per cent.

Under the McKinley law the price of ten yards of common print cloth for a dress costing 80 cents in England or France was increased by the tariff tax to $1.13. Under the new law the tariff will make it 97 cents, and to those who are obliged to wear such prints 17 cents means a good deal.

Governor Carr Challenged.

New York Sun.]

Now that the Hon. Urban Alphonso Woodbury, of the multitudinous moustaches, has been elected Governor of Vermont, his challenge to the Hon. Elias Carr, Governor of North Carolina, cannot be refused by that gentleman. Mr. Woodbury proposed three months ago to enter into the moustache contest with Governor Carr for $1,000 a side, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of hair mattresses for various State institutions in North Carolina and Vermont. The contest was to include competitions as to length, breadth, number, quality, general beauty, and quantity of shadow afforded. As we understand it, Governor Carr's hesitation about entering the contest has been caused by his belief that it would not be fair for a machine-trimmed moustache to compete with a hand-trimmed moustache. Governor Woodbury's capillary collection is trimmed every Monday with a mowing machine, while Governor Carr's is pruned every Thursday by a force of gardeners with scythes and lawn mower. But there should be no disputes on points so trifling. The only real difficulty that we have admitted in regard to the match is the impossibility of getting the two moustaches into any State smaller than Texas, and even then the tips would be out of the jurisdiction.

Senator Jarvis at Goldsboro.

A special of the 10th to the News and Observer from Goldsboro, N. C., says: At 2 o'clock to-day a large crowd gathered, estimated from 800 to 1,200, a good many being Third partyites. Senator Jarvis spoke for over two hours on the platform on the court yard square. Good order prevailed and the best of attention was given him. There was no enthusiastic applause or demonstrations, but the crowd created the impression that they came to listen and to learn. The speaker was presented by Mr. B. F. Aycock.

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MRS. M. H. ROBERSON—Administration Notice.

The editor of the OBSERVER left yesterday for Wilmington.

The County Convention meets in the town hall at 12 o'clock. The city is full of enthusiastic democrats, who are giving this day to their County and State.

The harpers are in town, and our young people are talking about a dance for to-night. The serenade they gave at the Hotel last night was greatly enjoyed by a large number of people; the music was superb.

Annual Conference of M. E. Church at Oxford, October 3—11.

For this occasion the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. authorizes the sale of cheap round trip tickets on October 1st to 4th inclusive, Fare from Fayetteville, $6.75; Wilmington, $9.10; Maxton, $7.65.

The Rev. Mr. Edwards preached a powerful sermon to an unusually large audience at the First Baptist Church Sunday night. His text was. "Resist the devil and he will flee from you." He dealt with his subject in a profound and masterful manner, and we are sure it must have had a great effect upon all those who listened to him.

Mr. C. J. Hedgepeth who was recently appointed Standard Keeper of Cumberland County, requests all persons using scales and measures to bring them to him and have them properly tested, and the official seal put upon them. It is very important that scales and measures should be tested as well for the benefit of the store keeper as his client.

I. O. O. F.

W. D. Gaster, Esq., leaves to-day for Chattanooga, Tenn., where he goes to the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, which meets there on Monday the 17th. This will probably be one of the largest gatherings of the sort ever held in the United States, and will be in session for at least two weeks.

Cumberland County Fair. November 14th, 15th and 16th.

Let everybody contribute handsomely to the premium list. This is to be the greatest Fair ever held in Cumberland county. The farmers and the merchants all agree as to this. The ladies too have commenced to work, and no doubt the enthusiasm they are displaying will be contagious.

The Fuller Trial.

A large number of witnesses have been subpœnaed for the celebrated Fuller trial at Rockingham next week. A number of Fayettevillians will attend the trial. We understand that an unusually brilliant array of counsel have been employed on both sides. The OBSERVER's reporter will give our readers a detailed account of the trial.

Mr. Slocomb Declines.

Mr. A. H. Slocomb requests us to state that he absolutely declines the nomination for Senator conferred upon him by the populist convention. He says he was out of the city, or would have declined as soon as nominated. He says furthermore, that he was approached several days before the convention met, and emphatically refused the proffered nomination.

A. C. L. Accommodation.

For the accommodation of the people who desire to attend the Fuller trial at Rockingham next week, the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company will have first class passenger coaches attached to the freight train leaving this city on Tuesday morning at 8:45, making connection at Pembroke with the Carolina Central train, arriving at Rockingham in the afternoon.

Sky Rakers.

There stands in front of A. E. Rankin & Co.'s warehouse on Person street the tallest stalk of corn we ever saw, and we believe it has never had its equal in Cumberland county. It is 17 feet 4 inches in height, and was raised by Mr. W. N. Williams on the Cade plantation. There is also another stalk, raised by Mr. W. H. Downing, which is 15 feet 6 inches high.

Death of Mrs. J. V. Hullar.

The news of the death of Mrs. J. V. Hullar, *nee* Julia Barclay, which occurred at Wythville, Virginia, Saturday morning, will cause deep sorrow throughout this community, where she was so well known and beloved. As a member of the Presbyterian Church choir, she delighted that congregation weekly with her sweet and melodeous voice. She was just in the full bloom of womanhood, being only 22 years old. To the Rev. T. P. Barclay and his family we extend our deepest sympathy.

A Very Sad Death.

The OBSERVER shares deeply in the heartfelt sympathy extended by the community to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garrett, now prostrated by poignant grief over the loss of their lovely daughter Sallie, who passed away on Sunday morning, 9th inst., after a lingering illness of fever. But not cruelty guided the Reaper's arm, not wrath sent the keen sickle to the heart of this fair flower. God sometimes comes to take our best and dearest—but it is only to draw us upward to him, saying: Come up higher, for where thy treasure is, there will thy heart be also.

The County Convention.

The Convention of the Democrats of Cumberland County meets to-day. It is entrusted with the duty of nominating three members of the General Assembly, viz: a Senator and two members of the House, who will take part in the choice of two United States Senators; and the various County officers, viz: a Sheriff, Clerk of the Court, Register of Deeds, Treasurer, Surveyor and Coroner.

The Democratic party is now in possession of the Federal government, and for the first time in a third of a century. It has been in power but 18 months, but in that short time it has given abundant proof of its ability as well as its desire to reform the abuses which sprang up during its exclusion from Federal control. It has not done all in that short period that it promised to do. It would be a miracle if it had. What it has left undone, therefore it promises to do; and it appeals to a reasonable poeple to say if its performance under the circumstanees does not justify reliance upon its further promises. There is little doubt of the reply, if only it take care to put the execution of its promises in the hands of worthy standard bearers. Let the best possible men be selected to-day—clean, capable men, of whose record and standing the party will be proud and with which the voters will be satisfied. Popular local tickets are very important. They add to or detract from the strength of the general ticket. Let the convention to-day make no mistake.

Police News.

Last Friday night Mr. J. R. Vann unconsciously locked a thief in his store on Person street. When he opened Saturday morning he found the back window open and a large quantity of miscellaneous goods missing. He described some of the articles stolen to Capt. Flowers, and when a few hours later the Captain saw a negro named Nep Evans "diked to kill" in a new suit, new hat, new shoes, and a large watch chain conspicuously displayed, he knew he had his man, for they were all part of the missing property. When arrested he confessed and said that the rest of the goods could be found near Bullard's Mill. All the articles were recovered. Evans is supposed to be an old offender. He is now in jail.

Elijah and Jim Burns, colored, who stole a watch from Mr. E. L. Clark's bar some time ago were captured Monday at the C. F. & Y. V. depot just as they were about to board a train. They had not been seen since the robbery. The robbery was traced to them by their pawning the watch with Mr. Geo. Benoy.

Jno. Butler, a colored man, was offering to sell a horse at such a ridiculously low price the other day, that it excited Capt. Flowers' suspicion, and he took charge of the animal and kept his eye on the man. The C. F. & Y. V. train soon afterward rolled in and from it jumped a very excited man, who said his name was James Butler, from Pleasant Grove, Sampson county, and that some one had stolen his horse and that he thought that he was making this way. He was referred to Capt. Flowers, who turned the horse over to the owner and arrested the negro, but not before a lively chase to the river.

F. I. L. I.

At a regular meeting of the Independent Company last Monday night the vacancies in the corps of sergeants, on account of the resignations of Messrs. J. C. Huske and Robert Strange, were filled by the election of Mr. J. H. Culbreth to be 4th Serg't, and Mr. J. B. Tillinghast 5th Serg't. Promotions were in order, and Messrs. J. G. Hollingsworth and J. H. Robinson, Jr., were elected 2nd and 3rd Serg'ts respectively; Messrs. N. B. Alexander and R. B. King 1st and 2nd Corp'ls respectively. Two vacancies in the corps of Corporals were the result of these promotions, and necessitated the election of two privates as 3d and 4th Corp'ls. Accordingly Messrs. N. H. McGeachy and W. A. McMillan were elected 3d and 4th Corp'ls.

Death of Mr. Jno. McIver.

Mr. Jno. McIver died Monday evening at 5 o'clock at his residence on North street after a painful and lingering illness. He was born in Scotland 56 years ago and came over to this country when quite young. He moved to this city in the fifties and married a Miss Lamont of this county. He was a man of good business capacity, coupled with sterling honesty and integrity, through which qualities he accumulated considerable property. He leaves a widow and five children, two girls and three boys, to all of whom we extend our sympathies.

Mr. J. R. Latta, of Wilmington, accompanied by his little son, have been spending several days in the city. Mr. Latta is an old Fayettevillian, having been born and raised here. His father was a merchant here many years before the war. Mr. Latta received a warm greeting from many who remembered him. He has been in the A. C. L. offices at Wilmington for over 25 years. It is 30 years since he was here last.

Old Fayetteville Papers.

Says our excellent contemporary, the Clinton Democrat (edited, by the way, by the grandson of the late Hon. Lauchlin Bethune):

The Democrat is indebted to Mr. J. E. Buchan, of Manly, for a bound volume of the old North Carolina Telegraph, published in Fayetteville. The volume is for the year 1826. The paper seems to have been more devoted to religious and literary matters than the news, and was edited by Robert H. Harrison. The copies contained in this volume were subscribed for by three Scotchmen, John Priest, John Patterson and John McCrumen, living in Western Cumberland, on the edge of Moore county, about thirty miles from Fayetteville. The subscription was a joint one and the subscribers went to Fayetteville by turn each week after the paper. It is not to be wondered at, that no people can boast higher averag e intelligence than the Scotch when they would go thirty miles after their papers each week. Those persons who live two or three miles from postoffices and say they live too far off to take newspapers should learn a lesson from the practice of these Scotchmen.

Death of Mr. Neil Graham.

There died at Wallace, in Duplin county, on Monday, a young man who from all accounts, must have given promise of an uncommonly brilliant future. He was the son of our old friend, Dr. D. McL. Graham, formerly of Fayetteville. There never was a nobler man than the father, and we could hardly say better of the son than that he had such a father. The Wilmington papers contain extended accounts of his life from which we extract the following:

[Wilmington Messenger.]

The announcement that Mr. Neil Graham is no more on earth, will bring sadness to our entire community. He yielded up his life of Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after an illness of only one week at the residence of his father, Dr. D. McL. Graham, at Wallace, Duplin county. He was aged 24 years and four months, and for several years has been a resident of Wilmington where he was universally esteemed for his gentlemanly qualities and manly character. The cause of his death was *appendicitis*, and while his death is a great shock to his numerous friends, they were prepared for the worst by the unfavorable tidings from him on Friday. Drs. Love and Thomas performed a surgical operation on him Sunday morning at 3 o'clock but it was too late to save his life. Mr. Graham has been a valued attache of the Atlantic Coast Line general office in this city for a number of years, serving the past three years as private secretary to Mr. E. Borden, superintendent of transportation. A large number of his fellow clerks, all his friends, went up to attend the funeral, which took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Wallace. The stores of the place were closed during the sad occasion, as a mark of respect to his memory. The interment was made at Rock Fish Presbyterian church near Wallace, the services being conducted by the Rev. A. D. McClure, chaplain of Wilmington Lodge, No. 139, I. O. O. F., of this city, the deceased having been a member of the same. He was also a member of Eyota Lodge, No. 5, I. O. R. M. of this city. Committees from both orders were in attendance. Capt. Jas. M. McGowan, of Wilmington Lodge acted as marshal, and the services at the grave were in accordance with the ritual of the Odd Fellows. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Messrs. E. Borden, B. J. Jacobs, A. D. Myers and Geo. S. LeGrand; from the Odd Fellows, W. L. Stover, W. L. DeRosset, Jr.; from the Atlantic Coast Line offices, D. E. Winstead and S. J. Ellis; from the Red Men, Jas. D. Nutt and Martin Newman. The floral designs were very handsome. The employes of the Atlantic Coast Line offices sent up two designs which were beautiful. One was a large lyre with a dove and the other a large wreath. One lovely design sent by several of his lady friends had the name "Neil" beautifully wrought in flowers. The following were in attendance from this city: Mr. E. Borden, Rev. A. D. McClure, Capt. Sam'l Carmon, and Messrs. W. C. Smith, Martin Newman, B. J. Jacobs, W. C. Yarborough, D. E. Winstead, Geo. S. LeGrand, James Calder, S. J. Ellis, J. R. Davis, W. L. DeRosset, Jr., W. L. Stover, G. H. James, H. H. Merritt, G. N. Harriss, W. D. McMilan, W. B. Thorpe, Guy A. Cardwell, A. D. Myers, R. B. Davis, G. J. Boney, R. B. Hare, C. R. Branch, W. H. Bernard, W. G. Elliott, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thames, Mrs. Graham Farmer, Barron Winstead, J. D. Nutt and Benj. Bell. Dr. W. C. Murphy was present from Washington, D. C. The deceased leaves father, mother, sister and two brothers who have the sympathy of their many sorrowing friends here and elsewhere.

[Wilmington Star.]

Rarely has the death of any young man evoked a more general and genuine expression of sorrow in this city. Young Graham was but 24 years old; yet he had held responsible positions with the Atlantic Coast Line, and in a marked degree enjoyed the respect and confidence of his employers. His friends were only limited by the number who were brought within the charmed circle of his acquaintance. Pleasant in his manners; warm in his attachments, loyal in his friendships; generous in his impulses; with the heart of a woman united with the courage of a soldier; his was a rare combination indeed of the best qualities of the human heart. And of all these, none was more prominent—none shone more resplendent—than his pure, unaffected, devoted love for those who were nearest to him by ties of blood. Next to God, he religiously believed that his first duty was to his father and mother; and nobly was that duty performed.

Peace to his ashes!

The Sandford Family.

In our notice, last week, of the death of Mr. William Sandford, we gave from recollection a list of the sons and daughters of the late Mr. John W. Sandford. We omitted the youngest son and daughter, Nannie and Ralph, who, we believe, reside in Florida. Curiously, also, it happens that our remark that not a soul of the Sandford blood was left in Fayetteville, requires the qualification that at this very time, Miss Birdsey, a grand-daughter, and inheriting the charming qualities of her ancestors, is paying a visit to her friends, the Underwoods, on Maiden Lane.

People and their Movements.

Mr. Warren Horne has returned to Chapel Hill.

Mr. Bruce Williams, of Burgaw, was in town last week.

Mr. A. W. Anders and wife, of Scotland, Georgia, were in the city Monday.

Capt. J. W. Fry, Gen'l Mang'r C. F & Y. V., was in the city yesterday.

Mr. R. M. Nimocks and wife returned Saturday night from Washington City.

Mrs. H. H. Smith, of Wilmington, is on a visit to Mrs. J. B. Starr, on Haymount.

Mrs. J. A. Hodges, of Richmond, Va., arrived in the city Monday for a short visit.

Mr. John Phillips, one of Charleston's cleverest young men was in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret McPherson, of Wilmington, is the guest of Miss Maggie McNeill on Bow street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gray, of Raleigh, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lilly, on Haymount.

Mr. James Johnson has returned from Baltimore, where he has been to see his house, Peree Bros.

Capt. W. O. Lockamy and family left Wednesday for Savannah, Ga., to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Gwyn Broughton, of South Carolina, is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. J. Crosswell, on St. James' Square.

Mrs. Col. J. A. Pemberton and daughter, Miss Nellie, are visiting Mrs. E. T. B. Glenn, in Americus, Ga.

Mr. Walter Watson's family have returned from Carolina Beach, where they have been spending the summer.

Professor Kennedy and wife returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. Alex Huske.

Mr. Frank Clinard, of Hickory, and one of Western North Carolina's brightest young men, paid us a visit last week.

Miss Addie Riddick, who has been visiting several of the fashionable watering places in the State, has returned home.

Miss Sallie Sinclair, who has been visiting the family of Mr. N. A. Sinclair on Haymount, leaves for her home to-day.

Mr. A. J. Pemberton has returned from quite an extended tour through Western North Carolina, and the Northern cities.

Miss Lula Murchison, of Manchester, came down to the city Monday, and is visiting the family of Mr. Jno. D. Williams.

Mrs. L. R. Dye left Monday morning for the Northern cities for the purpose of purchasing her stock of fall and winter goods.

Democratic Club Meeting.

According to notice at the previous meeting, the Fayetteville Democratic Club met Tuesday night. The committee on constitution and by-laws submitted their report, which was read and approved.

Vice Presidents were elected, one for each ward, as follows: 1st ward, Lewis Nixon; 2nd ward, Marsden Haigh; 3rd ward, G. A. Burns; 4th ward, Ralph King; 5th ward, O. B. Wightman; 6th ward, Jno. L. Kennedy; 7th ward, C. M. Watson. For Haymount, E. D. Kyle, and Harrington Hill, J. C. Vann. Several names were placed in nomination for Treasurer, which resulted in the election of J. B. Tilling hast.

The officers were authorized to appoint an Executive Committee.

The following new members were enrolled:

C. F. Fisher, O. B. Wightman, L. C. Wooten, R. E. Lewis, Y. E. Blanchard, G. W. Biggs, F. T. Hale, J. B. Smith, N. A. Sinclair, Wm. Alderman, A. B. Williams, H. W. Lilly, G. W. Bowen, L. A. Nixon, M. Haigh, W. W. Huske, J. A. Lambeth, B. E. Sedberry, J. B. Tillinghast, W. S. McRae, J. S. Jones, F. W. Thornton, W. W. Cole, W. C. Williams, Chas. Glover, Pem. Woodward, J. B. Underwood, H. McD. Robinson, W. G. Raiford, A. S. Newberry, B. F. Maultsby, James H. Walker.

Delegates to the great meeting of Clubs at Raleigh on the 20th will be appointed by the President and Vice-Presidents of the Club, as ordered by a resolution to that effect. The Club, as a Club, is entitled to 10 delegates, and 1 in addition for every 25 members—which gives us 14.

The regular meetings will be Friday night of each week. After adjournment Messrs. D. H. McLean and J. H. Myrover were loudly called for, and entertained the large audience with campaign speeches that were pronounced on all sides quite out of the common.

Distinguished gentlemen are expected here to speak at the next meeting.

Below we give the text of the Constitution and By-Laws adopted, as this may be a useful guide to country clubs, which we hope to see formed in each township:

CONSTITUTION.

We, Democrats of Cumberland county, hereby associate ourselves together under the following Constitution:

I.

NAME.

The name of this association shall be The Young Mens' Democratic Club of Fayetteville, N. C.

II.

PRINCIPLES.

The objects of this Club are as follows:

To foster and disseminate Jeffersonian principles of government;

To preserve the Constitution of the United States, the autonomy of States, local self-government and freedom of elections;

To resist revolutionary changes, and the centralization of power;

To oppose the imposition of taxes beyond the necessities of government economically administered;

To promote economy in all branches of the public service;

To oppose unnecessary commercial restrictions for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many;

To oppose class legislation, which despoils labor and builds up monopoly;

To maintain inviolate the fundamental principle of Democracy—"Equality before the Law"; and

To co-operate with the regular organization of the Democratic party in support of Democratic men and Democratic measures.

III.

OFFICERS.

The officers of this Club shall be a President, 9 Vice-Presidents, one for each ward and 2 for the outside, a Secretary and a Treasurer, who shall be elected by a majority vote of the Club and hold their offices for one year and until their successors are elected.

1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Club.

2. The Vice-Presidents shall, in the order of their seniority, discharge the duties of the President in the event of his absence, disability or refusal to act.

3. The Secretary shall keep the roll of the Club; shall record and preserve minutes of the proceedings of the Club, conduct its correspondence, and discharge such other duties as may from time to time be assigned to him by the Executive Committee.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all moneys for and on account of the Club, pay such bills as are audited and approved by the Executive Committee, and discharge such other duties as may from time to time be assigned him by the Executive Committee.

5. Any vacancy in the office of either President, Vice-Presidents, Secretary or Treasurer shall be filled for the unexpired term by the Executive Committee.

IV.

COMMITTEES.

There shall be an Executive Committee, to be elected by the Club, consisting of five members, and the officers of the Club, who shall be *ex officio* members, which shall have general charge of the interests and action of the Club and control its finances, and shall be also a Campaign Committee.

There may be such other standing committees as may from time to time be determined upon.

V.

AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION.

This Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting, two-thirds of the members present concurring, provided notice in writing of the proposed amendment be given to the Secretary at least one week previous.

BY-LAWS.

I.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

At all regular meetings of the Club the order of business shall be:

1. Reading Minutes.
2. Report of Treasurer.
3. Report of Executive Committee.
4. Report of other Standing Committees.
5. Election of Members.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. Miscellaneous Business.

At any special meeting of the Club the object of the call shall be the first order of business.

II.

QUORUM.

Ten members of the Club shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

III.

MEETINGS.

Regular meetings of the Club shall be held every Friday night.

Special meetings for business, for the discussion of Jeffersonian doctrines of government, or to listen to addresses, may be called by the President or the Executive Committee. The President, at the request in writing of five members, must call a meeting of the Club.

IV.

RULES OF ORDER.

The parliamentary rules governing the deliberations of the Club shall be those usually governing bodies of like character as this.

V.

AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be enlarged and amended at any regular meeting by a majority vote of all the members present.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS: An all-wise God has seen fit, in His inscrutable providence, to transfer from time to eternity the soul of our deceased brother, John McIver, who died in Fayetteville on September 10th, 1894, in the 56th year of his age; and, whereas, it is meet that the living pay a proper respect to and commemorate the virtues of those of their fellows who have "gone before;" now, therefore, Phœnix Lodge, No. 8, A. F. & A. M., resolves:

1st. That in the death of Bro. McIver this Lodge and the community have sustained the loss of a faithful member, a good citizen and an honest man;

2nd. That to his grief-stricken family we extend our heartfelt sympathy and commend them for consolation to "Him who doeth all things well;" and

3rd. That the members of this Lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, sent to the family of the deceased and published in the "Fayetteville Observer."

H. McD. ROBINSON,
B. E. SEDBERRY,
A. GARRASON,
Committee.

Sept. 12, 1894.

WHEREAS, On the morning of Sept. 3rd, 1894, the sad messenger, Death, called Bertha Willis to her beautiful home of unfading glory, which event cast a deep shadow of sorrow upon her earthly home, where her presence and influence had given so much sunshine and happiness, be it

Resolved, That in the death of our beloved little friend the Epworth League has lost one of its most earnest and efficient workers. It allays the pangs of our bleeding hearts to know that, while we must drop her name from our roll here, it has been registered on that pure and spotless page above, written in immortal letters by the hand of Him who said, "It is enough, come up higher." Though we cannot understand why a life so bright and promising should end so soon, and though the purposes of Providence are veiled, yet we are consoled by the truth that "God does all things well," and we bow in meek submission to the Divine hand that has afflicted, but not in anger. May the love of Christ constrain us so to live that one day there may be a perfect reunion in that bright land "where death can never, never come."

Resolved, Further, that we extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy, and recommend them unto God who alone can speak peace to their troubled hearts, and give comfort in this their hour of great trial.

Resolved, Further, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Epworth League, a copy sent to the sorrowing family, and a copy be furnished the city papers for publication.

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[Wilmington Messenger.]

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[The Daily Times, July 20th, 1894, Chatanooga, Tenn.]

The famous Spanish danseuse, Cyrene, gave her first performance here to a large crowd at River View yesterday afternoon.

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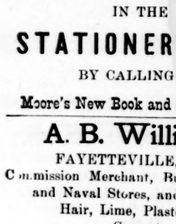

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Washington Letter

From Our Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3, 1894.

Secretary Carlisle is probably doing the hardest work of his life, while the President and most of the other members of the Cabinet are seeking the recreation they earned by their hard work during the long session of Congress. It is the administration of the new tariff law that is keeping Secretary Carlisle in Washington and working him so hard. Every hour brings telegrams stating questions that must be submitted to the Secretary before being answered and every mail adds its quota. Few of these complications are important to the general public, although they are very important to individuals and must be carefully straightened out as the Secretary's decision will set a precedent which may involve the gain or loss of thousands of dollars to the government. Probably the most important decision that Secretary Carlisle has yet made was that stopping the payment of the sugar bounty on the day the new law went into effect regardless of when the application for the bounty was made. This decision principally affects the best sugar makers, who claim that they should be paid the bounty upon all sugar made before the repeal of the bounty law went into effect, and who are making strong efforts to get Secretary Carlisle to change his interpretation of the law, although it also snatches this years crop of maple sugar. Upon this decision will depend whether about $500,000 remains in the Treasury or is paid out to the sugar people.

Speaking of sugar, there is a belief here that a clause in the new tariff bill open a way to keep the sugar trust from raising the price of sugar to an outrageous figure. The bill provides for a 40 per cent ad valorem duty upon raw sugar and an additional one eight of a cent a pound on all sugar above number 16 Dutch standard in color and upon all sugar that has been discolored—in plain English, upon refined sugar. But in the next paragraph it is provided that the duty upon all sugars after being refined when "tinctured, colored or in any way adulterated" shall be 35 per cent ad valorem. Under this last paragraph it is believed that refined sugar can be brought in, as it would be easy to color it in some harmless manner. If this shall turn out to be correct it would compel the sugar trust to keep its prices within bounds for fear of the foreign competition. Of course it will depend largely upon the construction put on the last named paragraph by the custom officials of the Treasury department. The difference was intended to be made solely for the benefit of confectioners who desired to use foreign refined sugar, and the officials may interpret it to mean that only sugar for the use of confectioners can be imported under it.

The departments are all closed to-day, Congress having at the last session made the first Monday in September a legal holiday; to be known as Labor Day. The day was celebrated by the Labor organizations which all took part in a big street parade.

Lots of tomfoolery is being sent out of Washington concerning the alleged discord among the democrats who compose the Congressional campaign committee. There is no discord in the committee, which is doing what it was expected to do in the campaign. Secretary Gardner, who is constantly at the committee headquarters, said when asked what he thought of the outlook: "It all depends upon the tariff bill. Nearly every Congressional district in the United States is interested in some way or another in this tariff bill. A paragraph which will please the people in one district will not please those in adjoining districts. What will suit the voters of an eastern state will not be satisfactory on the Pacific coast. So you can see how difficult it is to forecast results until we know more of how the tariff bill is being received by the rank and file of the voters. We do not expect to retain our present large majority in the House, but we do expect to elect a majority of its members."

It has just leaked out that ex-Speaker Reed, before leaving Washington, certified, in accordance with the old rule revived during the last session, the number of days he had been absent without leave and not on account of sickness, had it signed by Speaker Crisp and collected the money due him from the Sergeant-at-arms. The joke is that Mr. Reed had at every opportunity ridiculed the revival of the old rule, docking members for being absent without leave, and intimated that he would not obey. Whether it was because the Sergeant-at-Arms would not pay him without it that Mr. Reed prepared that certificate or because he thought the plurality of 971, by which he was last elected, too small to be moukeyed with, is not known, but probably both had something to do with it. At any rate he made out the certificate and he will not be allowed to forget it at the next session.

Chairman Wilson leaves for Europe this week. He goes in search of health, and will only remain four or five weeks. If strong enough he will take an active part in the campaign in his district when he returns.

The Vote of 1892.

Wilmington Review.]

For the benefit of calculating politicians, we have compiled the following statement of the official vote in this State in 1892. Cleveland had 132,951; Harrison 100,342; Weaver 44,736. The vote by congressional districts was:

First—W. A. Branch, 14,236; Riddick Gattling, 11,576.

Second—F. A. Woodard, 13,925; H. P. Cheatham, 11,814; E. A. Thorne (Pop.) 5,457.

Third—B. F. Grady, (Dem.,) 12,457; A. M. Clark, (Rep.,) 5,271; T. D. Koonce, (Pop.,) 9,869.

Fourth—B. H. Bunn, (Dem.,) 14,640; J. H. Williamson, (Rep.,) 2,106; H. J. McDowell, (Pop.,) 372; W. F. Stroud, (Pop.,) 12,916.

Fifth—A. H. A. Williams, (Dem.,) 13,746; Thomas Settle, (Rep.,) 14,075; W. R. Lindsay, (Pop.,) 4,358.

Sixth—S. B. Alexander, (Dem.,) 16,623; A. A. Maynard, (Pop.,) 12,127.

Seventh—J. S. Henderson, (Dem.,) 14,303; E. A. Bolton; (Rep.,) 9,136; A. C. Shuford, (Pop.,) 5,399.

Eighth—W. H. Bower, (Dem.,) 16,896; J. O. Willcocks, (Rep.,) 13,215; R. L. Patton, (Pop.,) 3,564.

Ninth—W. T. Crawford, (Dem.,) 16,010; J. C. Pritchard, (Rep.,) 14,960; J. C. Brown, (Pop.,) 872.

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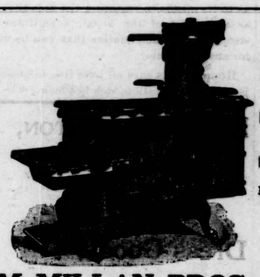

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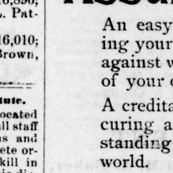

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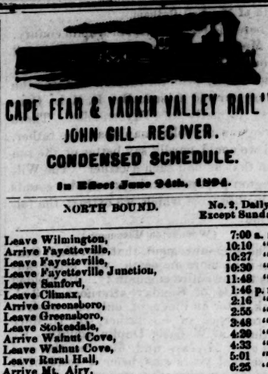

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Leave Fayetteville,	10:27 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction,	10:30 "
Leave Sanford,	11:48 "
Leave Climax,	1:05 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	2:10 "
Leave Greensboro,	2:55 "
Leave Stokesdale,	3:48 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	4:20 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	4:33 "
Leave Rural Hall,	5:01 "
Arrive Mt. Airy,	6:25 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Mt. Airy,	9:45 a. m.
Leave Rural Hall,	11:06 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	11:35 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	11:42 "
Leave Stokesdale,	12:07 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	12:55 "
Leave Greensboro,	1:02 "
Leave Climax,	1:30 "
Leave Sanford,	3:17 "
Arrive Fayetteville Junction,	4:28 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	4:34 "
Leave Fayetteville,	4:45 "
Arrive Wilmington,	7:55 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Bennettsville,	7:15 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	8:13 "
Leave Red Springs,	8:50 "
Leave Hope Mills,	9:30 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	10:00 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 3, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Fayetteville,	4:42 p. m.
Leave Hope Mills,	5:05 "
Leave Red Springs,	5:53 "
Leave Maxton,	6:27 "
Arrive Bennettsville,	7:30 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16, Mixed, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Ramseur,	6:50 a. m.
Leave Climax,	8:40 "
Arrive Greensboro,	9:25 "
Leave Greensboro,	9:40 "
Leave Stokesdale,	10:51 "
Arrive Madison	11:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15, Mixed, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Madison,	12:30 p. m
Leave Stokesdale,	1:25 "
Arrive Greensboro,	2:35 "
Leave Greensboro,	3:00 "
Leave Climax,	3:55 "
Arrive Ramseur,	5:35 "

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DATED July 8, 1894	No. 23. Daily.	No. 35. Daily.	No. 41. Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Weldon..	11 52	9 27	.....
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 02	10 20	.....
Arrive Tarboro..	2 40	.....	.....
Leave Tarboro..	12 25	.....	.....
Lv Rocky Mount	1 02	10 20	6 00
Leave Wilson...	2 06	11 01	.....
Leave Selma....	2 56	.....	.....
Lv. Fayetteville	4 35	12 51	.....
Arrive Florence	7 25	3 00	.....

	No. 47 Daily.	
	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Wilson...	2 18	6 35
Leave Goldboro.	3 05	7 20
Leave Magnolia.	4 16	8 29
Ar. Wilmington.	5 50	10 00
	P. M.	A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED July 8, 1894.	No. 78. Daily.	No. 32. Daily.	No. 40. Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	
Leave Florence.	7 30	7 25	.....
Lv. Fayetteville	10 25	9 30	.....
Leave Selma....	12 08	.....	.....
Arrive Wilson..	1 10	11 27	.....

	No. 48 Daily.		
	A. M.		P. M.
Lv. Wilmington.	9 00	.....	7 00
Leave Magnolia	10 40	.....	8 33
Leave Goldsboro	11 55	.....	9 40
Arrive Wilson..	12 40	.....	10 27

	No. 78 Daily.		No. 32 Daily.	
	P. M.		P. M.	A. M.
Leave Wilson...	1 10	.....	11 27	10 32
Ar Rocky Mount	2 13	.....	12 05	11 15
Arrive Tarboro.	2 40	.....	.....	.....
Leave Tarboro..	12 25	.....	.....	.....
Lv Rocky Mount	2 13	.....	12 05	.....
Arrive Weldon..	3 19	.....	12 50	.....
	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.

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Train leaves Tarboro, N C, daily except Sunday at 5:00 P M, Sunday 3:00 P M; arrives Plymouth 9:00 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 6:00 A M, Sunday 9:30 A M, arrive Tarboro 10:25 A M, and 11:45 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday, 6:05 A M, arriving Smithfield 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield 8:00 A M; arrive Goldsboro 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4:30 P M, arrives Nashville 5:05 P M, Spring Hope 5:30 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8:00 A M, Nashville 8:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 9:05 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Trains on Latta Branch Florence R R leave Latta 6:50 P M; arrive Dunbar 8:00 P M. Returning leave Dunbar 6:30 A M; arrive Latta 8:00 A M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 4:10 P M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 7:20 A M., connecting at Warsaw with main line trains.

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